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AND METHOD

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Sir:

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This is in response to the Restriction Requirement of April 6, 2009. With this response Applicant elects, with traverse, prosecution of Species IV (Figures 4a-4d). It is believed that at least claims 1-20, 33-35 and 37-66 are “readable” on the elected Species.

Further, Applicant submits that the Restriction is not justified. More specifically, Figures 1a-1c and 2a are nearly identical. Figures 3a-3d show a further preferred embodiment of the mechanism illustrated in Figures 1 and 2. Further still, Applicant notes that the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (IPRP) did not include a unity of invention objection and it is submitted that no such Restriction Requirement is necessary in the United States.

It is believed that the present application is in condition for allowance. Consideration and favorable action are respectfully requested.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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